



NASEMSO Safe Transport of Children (STC) Committee

MEETING RECORD

February 24, 2022
1:30 PM EDT

Attending – Eric Hicken (Chair – NJ), Katherine Shafer (Vice-Chair – NM); Amanda Perry (LA); Anna Sessa (NH); Cyndy Wright Johnson (MD); Dale Adkerson (OK); Dave Bryson (NHTSA); Dave Carlson (EVS); Erica Kane (WI); Jacob Cartner (Ferno); Jason Hamm (First Line Technology); Joe Najmi (International Biomedical); John McDonald (GSA); Karter Kistler (EVS); Katherine Hert (AL); Kevin Gallagher (Quantum); Liz Kendrick (MO); Marilyn Bull (Riley Children's at IU); Morgan Scaggs (KY); Patrick Wilson (Quantum/EMS Solutions); Renee Escamilla (AK); Sam Mishra (MI); Stefanie Zucker (Pediatric Medical); Stephanie Busch (VT); Travis Ribby (Ferno); Vicki Hildreth (Emergency Care Advocacy and Safe Transport LLC); Andy Gienapp (NASEMSO); Hannah Degn (NASEMSO); Jennifer Robinson (NASEMSO); Rachael Alter (NASEMSO)

Call to Order, Welcome, Introductions – Eric Hicken (Chair) called the meeting to order at 1:32p eastern.

Review and Approve August 24th Meeting Record – Eric Hicken
Cyndy Wright Johnson moved to approve minutes as submitted, Erica Kane seconded. The motion passed.

STC Provider Training Template Update – Katherine Schafer
The training template was approved at the August meeting and is available for use in the PEC Council's Basecamp or the STC Committee webpage (to be posted).

Funding Update – Rachael Alter
The NASEMSO team has prepared an unsolicited proposal for NHTSA. Waiting for a few additional items to fall into place before submitting. Andy noted that the Board is supportive of the need for funding through DOT; NASEMSO team will be meeting soon to discuss next steps. Consider support letters/ mailing campaign regarding the funding; Andy will take this concept back to the NASEMSO funding team for potential further discussion with the Board.

Recommend the Committee review the recently released [National Roadway Safety Strategy](#). In addition to post-crash care & the language regarding safe roadways & consumer protection could be of interest to this group.

Planning STC Agenda for Annual Meeting – All

Committee meeting schedule for 3:30-4:45p on June 22nd. Discussed concerns about ability to travel to the meeting, and potential for only a small group in attendance. Hosting a virtual session during the Annual Meeting can be frustrating for the virtual participants (cost-prohibitive to set up the room with microphones so everyone talking can be heard by virtual participants). Eric offered to bring his hot spot and Katherine can bring a couple microphones to help with audio. Consider recording the meeting for viewing later.

Agenda ideas:

- History of the project, accomplishments to date, what we need to move forward
- Update to the Sled project (J. Green)
- Finalize updates to the Pediatric Transport Products for Ground Ambulances

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- Funding updates
- Time for states to provide updates/discuss wins regarding CPS in ambulances (e.g., new policies, positive outcomes post-crashes with kids being secured "appropriately", etc).

ACTION ITEM: Send additional agenda ideas to Mary Hedges.

ACTION ITEM: Mary to solicit review & updates to Pediatric Transport Products for Ground Ambulances

National Child Passenger Safety Board Update – Marilyn Bull

The Board has undertaken a series of webinars, which include CE credits for the technicians – last webinar focused on ambulance transport. Almost 500 people attended, and was well received, with many requesting more information. Recording can be found here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v2aK5d2_k4s&feature=youtu.be

Primary responsibility of the Board it to develop a hybrid CPS training, which should be ready soon.

Federal Partner Update / Member Comments - None

Adjourn – The meeting adjourned at 2:01p eastern

Next Meeting – April 28, 2022

Minutes respectfully submitted by Rachael Alter, NASEMSO Program Manager